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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 04-075

Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated October 2002.]

5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

Clearinghouse Rule 04-075 would more clearly express the intent of the department and the Group Insurance Board if the material in SECTION 2 were renumbered and redrafted in a manner similar to the following:

SECTION 2. ETF 4.10 (2) (d) and (e) are created to read:

ETF 40.10 (2) (d). The 105%-of-cost limitation in par. (b) does not apply to an employer that establishes an employee health insurance plan under which all of the following apply:

1. Each health insurance plan offered by the employer is classified into two or more tiers, based upon the relative cost of the plans, as established by the group insurance board.
2. The employee's required contribution to the health insurance premium for a plan classified in a higher cost tier, as compared to a plan in the next lowest cost tier, increases by at least \$20 per month for single coverage and \$50 per month for family coverage.

(e) The group insurance board, with the advice of the actuary, may classify a health plan offered to local government employees in a tier that is different than that of the health plan of the same name as offered to state employees.